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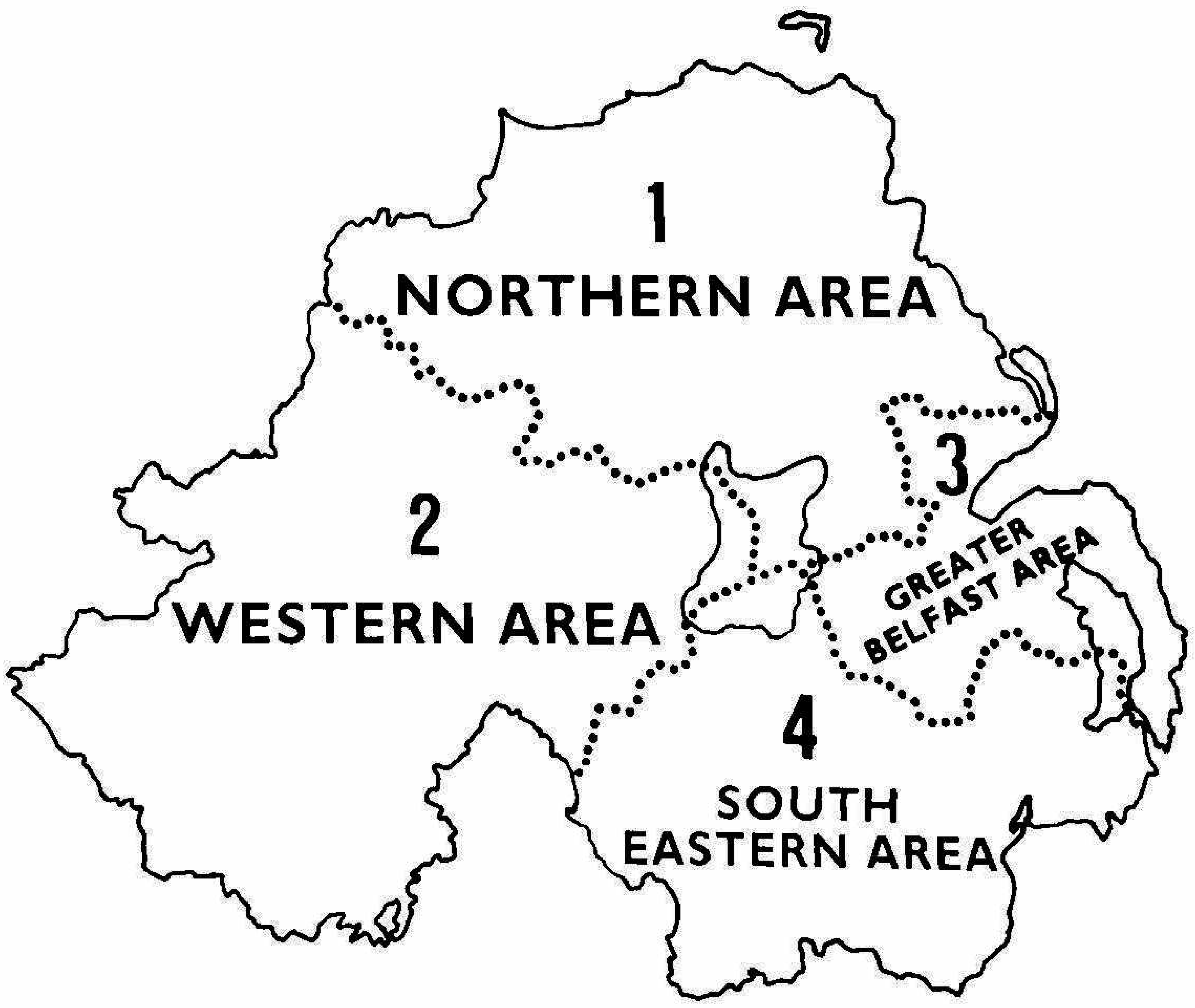

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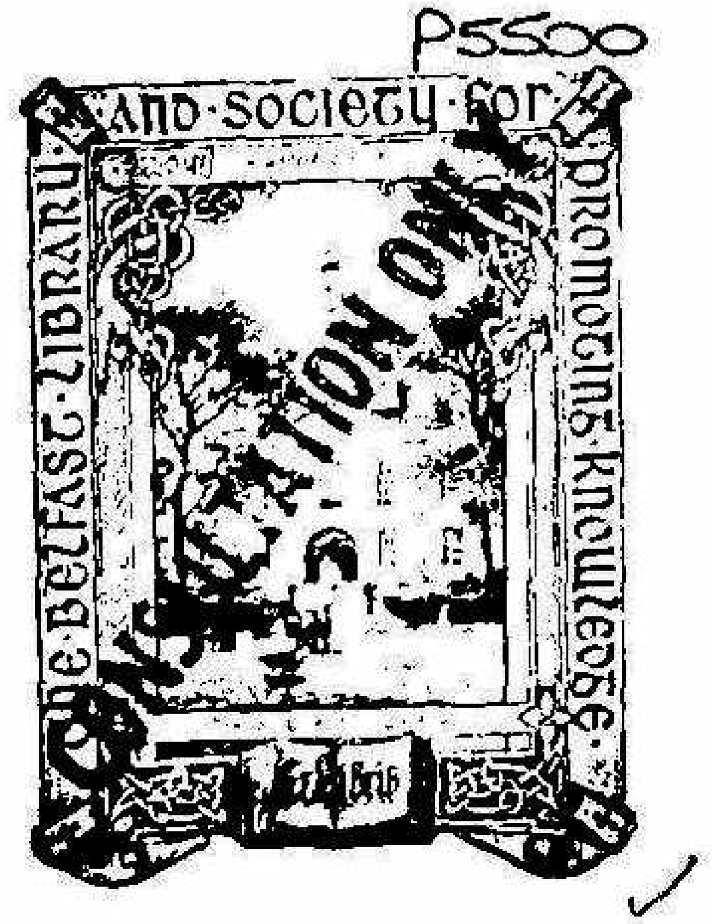


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# INTRODUCTION

1.1 The Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Rt Hon Sir Patrick Mayhew, MP, appointed me as District Electoral Areas Commissioner on 7 July 1992 to review, in respect of each local government district, the grouping together of the local government wards into district electoral areas for the purpose of local government elections and to submit a report as soon as practicable setting out my recommendations on these groupings.

1.2 This appointment followed the submission to Government of my Final Recommendations as Local Government Boundaries Commissioner, which were published on 15 June 1992 and confirmed, without modifications, by the making of the Local Government (Boundaries) Order (Northern Ireland) 1992 on 6 July 1992 (hereinafter referred to as the 1992 Order).

1.3 The Review is necessary in order to establish District Electoral Areas for the purpose of local government elections conducted by the single transferable vote system of election.

1.4 The provisions concerning the appointment and function of the Commissioner, the procedure he must follow in performing that function, and the rules in accordance with which the recommendations of the Commissioner are to be made are contained in the District Electoral Areas Commissioner (Northern Ireland) Order 1984 (hereinafter referred to as the 1984 Order) (Appendix V).

1.5 The Office of the Commissioner is entirely independent and the Commissioner is not under the direction of a Minister or of a Government Department.

1.6 The Commissioner's task is to examine the number, boundaries and names of the existing District Electoral Areas (DEA's) in relation to the district and ward boundaries confirmed in the 1992 Order; to review the available data; to consider any representations made to him; and to report to the Secretary of State.

1.7 The Review can be split into two stages, the first being the publication of my Provisional Recommendations inviting written representations or objections. This is the stage represented by the publication of this document together with the associated set of maps.

1.8 Consideration of the comments received including oral representations at any local public hearings will lead to the second and final stage, namely, the submission of my Report to the Secretary of State setting out the Final Recommendations.

1.9 The Commissioner may ask the Secretary of State to appoint one or more Assistant Commissioners to inquire into and report to the Commissioner on such matters as the Commissioner thinks fit and to assist with any public inquiries. At my request the Secretary of State appointed Professor R H Buchanan, Mrs A Gibson, Professor N J Gibson and Mr C Ward, who had all acted in a similar capacity for the Local Government Boundaries Review.

1.10 I have also had the advice and support, as Assessors, of Mr P Bradley the Chief Electoral Officer and Mr R McMurray, Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages. In addition my office has been staffed by a small group of civil servants seconded from the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland.

# BACKGROUND

2.1 The last Review was carried out during the period May-November 1984 and the present structure of 98 District Electoral Areas (DEA's) was established and confirmed in December 1984 following the submission of a Report to the Secretary of State by the then Commissioner, *Sir Frank Harrison.*

2.2 The 1984 Order requires that each DEA must consist of either five, six or seven local government wards and each area returns as many council members as there are wards in the area (Appendix III). At present there are 50 five-seater Areas, 20 six-seater Areas and 28 seven-seater Areas.

2.3 Although the recent review of the local government boundaries changed a number of district and ward boundaries and created a net 16 additional wards, a number of local government districts had only minimal ward boundary adjustments which has resulted in correspondingly minimal change to the existing DEA boundaries in these districts (for example, Armagh, Cookstown, Dungannon, Fermanagh).

2.4 Certain other districts experienced substantial ward boundary changes and although this has led to a corresponding substantial change in the existing DEA boundaries nevertheless the overall DEA structure for each of these districts has largely been retained (for example, Belfast, Newry and Mourne, Craigavon and Derry).

2.5 The remaining districts have had major changes proposed to their existing DEA structures largely due to the establishment of one or more additional wards within the district which has in a small number of districts also necessitated the creation of an additional DEA for example, Ards, Castlereagh, Coleraine and Lisburn.

2.6 The districts and wards on which these provisional recommendations are based are those recently established by the 1992 Order.

2.7 The electoral base equates with that included in the Report of the Local Government Boundaries Commissioner which recommended the new district and ward boundaries based on the February 1991 Electoral Register.

2.8 The procedure which the Commissioner must follow involves the publication of Provisional Recommendations which is represented through the publication of this document and the associated maps (Appendix II). Written representations are invited within one month from *publication following which* public hearings may be held to allow the opportunity for the presentation of further oral evidence probably during the period October/November 1992.

2.9 Finally, after considering all the representations made, the Commissioner must submit a report to the Secretary of State, probably during January 1993, setting out his final recommendations for the grouping of the local government wards for the purpose of local government elections in each district.

2.10 This procedure will enable the Secretary of State to lay before Parliament a draft Order in Council making provision for electoral areas *prior to the local elections to be held in May* 1993.



# CRITERIA

3.1 The rules and procedures under which the Commissioner must carry out the review and make recommendations are set out in the Schedules for the 1984 Order (Appendix V) and include:-

(a) each DEA must consist of either 5, 6 or 7 local government wards;

(b) wards cannot be split between DEA's;

(c) *each DEA must have a name;*

(d) within each DEA, individual wards must have at least one common boundary with another ward in that DEA;

(e) the publication of Provisional Recommendations;

(f) a period of one month to allow for the submission of written representations;

(g) the requirement to hold public inquiries in certain circumstances; and

(h) the need to consider all representations received prior to submitting a Report to the Secretary of State, as soon as practicable.

3.2 *Consultation with all those involved in local government* and with the public at large is an extremely important part of the review procedure. I hope that there will be substantial public participation in the process.

# PRINCIPLES

4.1 I decided at the start of the review to adhere as far as possible to the following five main principles:-

(a) *minimal change generally* to the existing DEA framework;

(b) establish as far as practicable distinct urban and rural DEA's;

(c) seek to ensure electoral *equality within each district by establishing the ratio of electorate* for each councillor within a ±5% range when compared to the district electoral ratio per councillor;

(d) wards to be grouped to facilitate the representational work of councillors within any district; and

(e) ease of voting for the electorate.

4.2 As Local Government Boundaries Commissioner I sought to take account of the physical size of districts; population; settlement patterns; topographical features and special geographic situations (lakes, rivers, mountains); sense of local community; communication and transport links. I am satisfied that these factors are also important when establishing DEA boundaries and I have endeavoured to ensure that my Provisional Recommendations reflect a proper balance of all the various factors.



# PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

5.1 At this Provisional Stage I propose to increase the number of DEAs to 101, a net increase of 3 compared with the existing 98 areas established in 1984.

5.2 *My recommendations which are set out in Appendix I include 48 five-seater areas; 29 six-*seater areas; and 24 seven-seater areas.

5.3 I see no need to alter the DEA structure in the following ten districts and recommend that no change should be made to the existing groupings of wards in these districts:-

| | |
|---|---|
| Armagh | Fermanagh |
| Ballymoney | Larne |
| Cookstown | Limavady |
| Down | Moyle |
| Dungannon | Omagh |

5.4 In a further seven districts I am recommending only minimal change to the existing groupings of wards:-

Antrim
Banbridge
Belfast
Craigavon
Derry
Newry and Mourne
North Down

5.5 In the remaining nine districts the existing DEA structure has been substantially adjusted and while an additional DEA has been established in four (*) of these, there has been a reduction of one DEA in Newtownabbey:-

| | |
|---|---|
| *Ards | *Lisburn |
| Ballymena | Magherafelt |
| Carrickfergus | Newtownabbey |
| *Castlereagh | Strabane |
| *Coleraine | |

5.6 The Provisional Recommendations and associated maps are displayed at about 70 locations mainly at Council offices and local libraries (Appendix VI) and have been distributed to over one hundred *interested groups and individuals including local councils, political parties*, MP's, plus associations and organisations linked to local government.

# REPRESENTATIONS

6.1 The publication of these Provisional Recommendations provides the opportunity to argue for *either a substantially different grouping* of the wards in any of the local government districts; minimal change; or the continuation of the present arrangement. This can be done, preferably in writing beforehand, or orally at local public hearings.

6.2 I now invite written comments on the Provisional Recommendations. It would be most helpful if all written representations indicate clearly the nature of any objection regarding alterations and/or alternative ward groupings, explaining fully the reasons why further change is sought.

6.3 While changes in electoral boundaries may well have the effect of changing the pattern of political representation in subsequent elections this is NOT a matter of which the Commissioner may take cognizance. Political arguments, either written or oral, will carry much less weight than submissions based on the various principles referred to earlier in this Report, for example, the sense of local community.

6.4 Following receipt of written representations at this Provisional Stage public hearings will be held, as appropriate, to give the opportunity for further oral representations on the written comments received, probably during the period October to November 1992.

6.5 The hearings will give individuals the opportunity to comment on my Provisional Recommendations, either to me personally or my Assistant Commissioners and to expand their views on why further change is necessary. The hearings will be held in either town halls or civic centres and will be conducted as informally as possible.

6.6 In the first instance written representations should be forwarded to the:-

Secretary
District Electoral Areas Commissioner
Frances House
9-11 Brunswick Street
BELFAST
BT2 7GE

to be received no later than 28 September 1992.

6.7 I cannot over-emphasise how important it is for all interested parties and individuals to use this opportunity now being offered to present their views to me and I look forward to the ongoing consultation process.



# CONCLUSION

7.1 In preparing these Provisional Recommendations I was conscious of certain key observations *made by my predecessor Sir Frank Harrison in his final report namely:-*

"... in designing the local government district and ward boundaries I sought to marry the sense of local community identity with administrative practicality. In the Province the local communities are small, but deeply sensitive of the social, geographical and other factors which distinguish them from each other, and each local government district unit has been made up of wards as the bricks in the structure. To construct an electoral area which can also have a discernible community identity required, not only the grouping of the right number of wards, but also the best possible selection to create electoral areas readily identifiable by the electors within their bounds, and which would form local government constituencies in which the differing sections of each community could secure representation. In this present exercise, I endeavoured to secure as far as practicable urban and rural electoral areas which were distinct from each other and at the same time to avoid groupings which created an area "split" by major natural or physical barriers. I also sought to create constituencies of manageable size and which could be efficiently served by the elected representatives".

7.2 My intention has been to follow as near as possible these very sound ground rules established in 1984.

7.3 In addition I have sought to keep the variation in the ratio of electorate per councillor within each district as small as possible. Ninety percent are within my self-imposed ±5% range and over half have been retained within a ±2% range (para 4.1(c)).

7.4 I am grateful to my staff, the Assessors and the Assistant Commissioners without whose help and assistance the Provisional Recommendations could not have been prepared and published within the time available.

7.5 The Provisional Recommendations for each local government district are set out in Appendix I and an associated set of maps outlining the recommendations is enclosed with this Report.

7.6 The next stage of the Review will involve the detailed consideration of the written representations received prior to the holding of local public inquiries, as necessary.

**MAURICE N HAYES**
**DISTRICT ELECTORAL AREAS COMMISSIONER**

# APPENDIX I

(Districts Listed Alphabetically)

# PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

## ANTRIM Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Antrim Town | 7 | Springfarm<br>Massereene<br>Balloo<br>Fountain Hill | Steeple<br>Stiles<br>Greystone | 11,285 |
| Antrim South East | 7 | Templepatrick<br>Farranshane<br>Parkgate<br>Ballycraigy | Clady<br>Aldergrove<br>Crumlin | 11,170 |
| Antrim North West | 5 | Toome<br>Drumanaway<br>Cranfield | Randalstown<br>Shilvodan | 7,482 |
| **District Totals** | **19** | | | **29,937** |

## ARDS Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Newtownards | 6 | Scrabo<br>Ballyrainey<br>Bradshaw's Brae | Glen<br>Whitespots<br>Central | 12,926 |
| Ards West | 6 | Killinchy<br>Ballygowan<br>Lisbane | Comber West<br>Comber East<br>Comber North | 12,267 |
| Ards East | 6 | Movilla<br>Gregstown<br>Loughries | Donaghadee North<br>Donaghadee South<br>Millisle | 12,891 |
| Ards Peninsula | 5 | Carrowdore<br>Ballywalter<br>Portavogie | Kircubbin<br>Portaferry | 10,383 |
| **District Totals** | **23** | | | **48,467** |



## ARMAGH Local Government District:

No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Armagh City | 6 | Downs<br>Callan Bridge<br>Abbey Park | Observatory<br>The Mall<br>Demesne | 9,699 |
| Crossmore | 5 | Killylea<br>Milford<br>Derrynoose | Keady<br>Carrigatuke | 7,691 |
| The Orchard | 5 | Charlemont<br>Loughgall<br>Hockley | Ballymartrim<br>Rich Hill | 8,501 |
| Cusher | 6 | Killeen<br>Markethill<br>Poyntz Pass | Tandragee<br>Laurelvale<br>Hamiltonsbawn | 10,106 |
| **District Totals** | **22** | | | **35,997** |

## BALLYMENA Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ballymena East | 6 | Dunclug<br>Fair Green<br>Summerfield | Castle Demesne<br>Moat<br>Ballykeel | 10,343 |
| Ballymena West | 7 | Galgorm<br>Academy<br>Ballyloughan<br>Park | Ardeevin<br>Harryville<br>Ballee | 11,940 |
| Ballymena North | 6 | Glenravel<br>Slemish<br>Dunminning | Craigywarren<br>Cullybackey<br>Broughshane | 10,564 |
| Ballymena South | 5 | Glenwhirry<br>Kells<br>Grange | Ahoghill<br>Portglenone | 8,994 |
| **District Totals** | **24** | | | **41,841** |

**BALLYMONEY Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ballymoney Town | 5 | Route<br>Glebe<br>Newhill | Carnany<br>Fairhill | 5,764 |
| Bushvale | 5 | Benvardin<br>Dervock<br>Stranocum | Ballyhoe and Corkey<br>Knockaholet | 5,174 |
| Bann Valley | 6 | Seacon<br>The Vow<br>Killoquin Lower | Dunloy<br>Clough Mills<br>Killoquin Upper | 6,519 |
| **District Totals** | **16** | | | **17,457** |

**BANBRIDGE Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Banbridge Town | 6 | Edenderry<br>Banbridge West<br>Fort | Ballydown<br>Seapatrick<br>The Cut | 9,239 |
| Dromore | 5 | Ballyward<br>Gransha<br>Dromore South | Dromore North<br>Quilly | 7,882 |
| Knockiveagh | 6 | Gilford<br>Lawrencetown<br>Loughbrickland | Bannside<br>Katesbridge<br>Rathfriland | 9,281 |
| **District Totals** | **17** | | | **26,402** |



**BELFAST Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 7 | Sydenham<br>Island<br>Ballyhackamore<br>Belmont | Stormont<br>Cherryvalley<br>Knock | 29,830 |
| Pottinger | 6 | Ballymacarrett<br>Bloomfield<br>Orangefield | The Mount<br>Woodstock<br>Ravenhill | 24,879 |
| Laganbank | 5 | Ballynafeigh<br>Rosetta<br>Stranmillis | Botanic<br>Shaftesbury | 20,204 |
| Balmoral | 6 | Upper Malone<br>Finaghy<br>Musgrave | Blackstaff<br>Malone<br>Windsor | 23,718 |
| Upper Falls | 5 | Ladybrook<br>Glencolin<br>Andersonstown | Glen Road<br>Falls Road | 22,164 |
| Lower Falls | 5 | Upper Springfield<br>Whiterock<br>Beechmount | Clonard<br>Falls | 20,344 |
| Court | 5 | Highfield<br>Glencairn<br>Woodvale | Crumlin<br>Shankill | 19,733 |
| Oldpark | 6 | New Lodge<br>Water Works<br>Ardoyne | Legoniel<br>Ballysillan<br>Cliftonville | 26,296 |
| Castle | 6 | Duncairn<br>Chichester Park<br>Fortwilliam | Cavehill<br>Castleview<br>Bellevue | 23,544 |
| **District Totals** | **51** | | | **210,712** |

**CARRICKFERGUS Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carrick West | 5 | Sunnylands<br>Northland<br>Clipperstown | Killycrot<br>Burleigh Hill | 6,984 |
| Carrick East | 5 | Boneybefore<br>Bluefield<br>Victoria | Milebush<br>Love Lane | 6,937 |
| Carrick Middle | 7 | Blackhead<br>Whitehead<br>Eden<br>Woodburn | Greenisland<br>Gortalee<br>Knockagh | 10,048 |
| **District Totals** | **17** | | | **23,969** |

**CASTLEREAGH Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Castlereagh East | 7 | Dundonald<br>Carrowreagh<br>Enler<br>Graham's Bridge | Ballyhanwood<br>Tullycarnet<br>Gilnahirk | 14,970 |
| Castlereagh Central | 6 | Upper Braniel<br>Lower Braniel<br>Lisnasharragh | Downshire<br>Cregagh<br>Wynchurch | 11,814 |
| Castlereagh South | 5 | Moneyreagh<br>Cairnshill<br>Knockbracken | Carryduff West<br>Carryduff East | 10,076 |
| Castlereagh West | 5 | Galwally<br>Hillfoot<br>Newtownbreda | Beechill<br>Minnowburn | 10,490 |
| **District Totals** | **23** | | | **47,350** |



**COLERAINE Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Coleraine West | 6 | Knocklynn<br>Central<br>Mount Sandel | The Cuts<br>Churchland<br>Waterside | 10,194 |
| Coleraine East | 5 | Dundooan<br>Dunluce<br>University | Ballysally<br>Cross Glebe | 7,952 |
| Bann | 6 | Kilrea<br>Agivey<br>Castlerock | Macosquin<br>Ringsend<br>Garvagh | 9,743 |
| The Skerries | 5 | Royal Portrush<br>Hopefield<br>Atlantic | Portstewart<br>Strand | 8,867 |
| **District Totals** | **22** | | | **36,756** |

**COOKSTOWN Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cookstown Central | 5 | Oldtown<br>Newbuildings<br>Tullagh | Gortalowry<br>Killymoon | 7,033 |
| Ballinderry | 6 | Moneymore<br>Coagh<br>Stewartstown | The Loop<br>Ardboe<br>Killycolpy | 8,105 |
| Drum Manor | 5 | Dunnamore<br>Pomeroy<br>Lissan | Oaklands<br>Sandholes | 6,341 |
| **District Totals** | **16** | | | **21,479** |

**CRAIGAVON Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portadown | 7 | The Birches<br>Ballyoran<br>Corcrain<br>Ballybay | Brownstown<br>Tavanagh<br>Annagh | 13,845 |
| Central | 7 | Bleary<br>Edenderry<br>Killycomain<br>Kernan | Drumgor<br>Drumgask<br>Taghnevan | 15,127 |
| Lurgan | 7 | Magheralin<br>Donaghcloney<br>Waringstown<br>Parklake | Mourneview<br>Church<br>Knocknashane | 13,906 |
| Loughside | 5 | Derrytrasna<br>Aghagallon<br>Woodville | Drumnamoe<br>Court | 10,995 |
| **District Totals** | **26** | | | **53,873** |

**DERRY Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cityside | 5 | Creggan South<br>Brandywell<br>Westland | Beechwood<br>Creggan Central | 9,833 |
| Northland | 7 | Crevagh<br>Springtown<br>The Diamond<br>Rosemount | Foyle Springs<br>Strand<br>Pennyburn | 15,018 |
| Shantallow | 5 | Carn Hill<br>Shantallow West<br>Shantallow East | Ballynashallog<br>Culmore | 10,889 |
| Waterside | 7 | Caw<br>Kilfennan<br>Altnagelvin<br>Lisnagelvin | Clondermot<br>Victoria<br>Ebrington | 14,666 |
| Rural | 6 | Banagher<br>Claudy<br>Eglinton | Holly Mount<br>New Buildings<br>Enagh | 11,920 |
| **District Totals** | **30** | | | **62,326** |



**DOWN Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Downpatrick | 7 | Quoile<br>Audleys Acre<br>Ballymote<br>Cathedral | Strangford<br>Ardglass<br>Killough | 12,122 |
| Newcastle | 6 | Castlewellan<br>Dundrum<br>Murlough | Shimna<br>Donard<br>Tollymore | 10,030 |
| Ballynahinch | 5 | Ballynahinch East<br>Ballymaglave<br>Drumaness | Seaforde<br>Dunmore | 8,721 |
| Rowallane | 5 | Saintfield<br>Kilmore<br>Derryboy | Killyleagh<br>Crossgar | 9,032 |
| **District Totals** | **23** | | | **39,905** |

**DUNGANNON Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dungannon Town | 6 | Mullaghmore<br>Ballysaggart<br>Moygashel | Coolhill<br>Killymeal<br>Drumglass | 8,341 |
| Clogher Valley | 5 | Fivemiletown<br>Clogher<br>Augher | Ballygawley<br>Castlecaulfield | 7,202 |
| Blackwater | 5 | Killyman<br>Moy<br>Benburb | Caledon<br>Aughnacloy | 7,429 |
| Torrent | 6 | Altmore<br>Donaghmore<br>Coalisland West and Newmills | Coalisland North<br>Coalisland South<br>Washing Bay | 9,082 |
| **District Totals** | **22** | | | **32,054** |

**FERMANAGH Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Enniskillen | 7 | Tempo<br>Lisbellaw<br>Rossorry<br>Portora | Devenish<br>Erne<br>Castlecoole | 11,918 |
| Erne East | 6 | Rosslea<br>Newtownbutler<br>Donagh | Lisnaskea<br>Brookeborough<br>Maguires Bridge | 10,058 |
| Erne West | 5 | Belcoo and Garrison<br>Derrygonnelly<br>Boho, Cleenish and Letterbreen | Florence Court and Kinawley<br>Derrylin | 8,466 |
| Erne North | 5 | Ballinamallard<br>Irvinestown<br>Lisnarrick | Kesh, Ederney and Lack<br>Belleek and Boa | 8,159 |
| **District Totals** | **23** | | | **38,601** |

**LARNE Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Larne Town | 5 | Blackcave<br>Harbour<br>Central | Town Parks<br>Gardenmore | 7,686 |
| Coast Road | 5 | Carnlough<br>Glenarm<br>Carncastle | Craigy Hill<br>Ballyloran | 7,288 |
| Larne Lough | 5 | Antiville<br>Kilwaughter<br>Glynn | Ballycarry<br>Island Magee | 7,133 |
| **District Totals** | **15** | | | **22,107** |



**LIMAVADY Local Government District:**
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Limavady Town | 5 | Roeside<br>Rathbrady<br>Enagh | Coolessan<br>Greystone | 6,783 |
| Benbradagh | 5 | Forest<br>Upper Glenshane<br>Feeny | Dungiven<br>The Highlands | 6,093 |
| Bellarena | 5 | Magilligan<br>Aghanloo<br>Glack | Gresteel<br>Ballykelly | 6,107 |
| **District Totals** | **15** | | | **18,983** |

**LISBURN Local Government District**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lisburn Town South | 6 | Hillhall<br>Blaris<br>Old Warren | Lagan Valley<br>Tonagh<br>Hilden | 13,817 |
| Lisburn Town North | 7 | Ballymacoss<br>Ballymacash<br>Lisnagarvy<br>Wallace Park | Magheralave<br>Harmony Hill<br>Lambeg | 15,753 |
| Dunmurry Cross | 7 | Derryaghy<br>Seymour Hill<br>Dunmurry<br>Twinbrook | Poleglass<br>Kilwee<br>Collin Glen | 15,664 |
| Downshire | 5 | Maze<br>Hillsborough<br>Dromara | Ballymacbrennan<br>Drumbo | 11,809 |
| Killultagh | 5 | Glenavy<br>Ballinderry<br>Moira | Maghaberry<br>Knockmore | 11,408 |
| **District Totals** | **30** | | | **68,451** |

## MAGHERAFELT Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Magherafelt Town | 5 | Lecumpher<br>Ballymaguigan<br>Town Parks West | Glebe<br>Town Parks East | 7,773 |
| Sperrin | 5 | Swatragh<br>Lower Glenshane<br>Maghera | Tobermore<br>Draperstown | 8,055 |
| Moyola | 6 | Upperlands<br>Valley<br>Gulladuff | Knockcloghrim<br>Bellaghy<br>Castledawson | 9,460 |
| **District Totals** | **16** | | | **25,288** |

## MOYLE Local Government District:

**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ballycastle | 5 | Kinbane<br>Dalriada<br>Knocklayd | Glentaisie<br>Bonamargy and Rathlin | 3,551 |
| The Glens | 5 | Armoy<br>Glenshesk<br>Glendun | Glenaan<br>Glenariff | 3,704 |
| Giants Causeway | 5 | Bushmills<br>Ballylough<br>Dunseverick | Carnmoon<br>Moss-Side and Moyarget | 3,184 |
| **District Totals** | **15** | | | **10,439** |



## NEWRY AND MOURNE Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Newry Town | 7 | Windsor Hill<br>St Patrick's<br>St Mary's<br>Drumgullion | Ballybot<br>Daisy Hill<br>Drumalane | 13,779 |
| The Mournes | 5 | Annalong<br>Binnian<br>Kilkeel Central | Kilkeel South<br>Lisnacree | 9,730 |
| Crotlieve | 7 | Rostrevor<br>Seaview<br>Clonallan<br>Derryleckagh | Burren and Kilbroney<br>Spelga<br>Mayobridge | 13,097 |
| The Fews | 6 | Donaghmore<br>Derrymore<br>Bessbrook | Tullyhappy<br>Camlough<br>Newtownhamilton | 10,342 |
| Slieve Gullion | 5 | Creggan<br>Crossmaglen<br>Silver Bridge | Forkhill<br>Fathom | 9,026 |
| **District Totals** | **30** | | | **55,974** |

## NEWTOWNABBEY Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Macedon | 6 | Cloughfern<br>Coole<br>Dunanney | Abbey<br>Whitehouse<br>Valley | 13,321 |
| University | 7 | Hawthorne<br>Jordanstown<br>Rostulla<br>Monkstown | Ballyduff<br>Carnmoney<br>Mossley | 15,334 |
| Antrim Line | 7 | Mallusk<br>Burnthilll<br>Ballyhenry<br>Glengormley | Glebe<br>Hightown<br>Collinbridge | 15,436 |
| Ballyclare | 5 | Doagh<br>Ballyclare North<br>Ballyclare South | Ballynure<br>Ballyrobert | 10,533 |
| **District Totals** | **25** | | | **54,624** |

## NORTH DOWN Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ballyholme and Groomsport | 7 | Groomsport<br>Churchill<br>Ballyholme<br>Broadway | Ballymaconnell<br>Ballymagee<br>Ballycrochan | 15,126 |
| Abbey | 6 | Harbour<br>Bangor Castle<br>Bloomfield | Whitehill<br>Conlig<br>Rathgael | 12,910 |
| Bangor West | 7 | Princetown<br>Bryansburn<br>Silverstream<br>Clandeboye | Dufferin<br>Spring Hill<br>Crawfordsburn | 15,207 |
| Holywood | 5 | Craigavad<br>Cultra<br>Holywood Priory | Holywood Demesne<br>Loughview | 10,537 |
| **District Totals** | **25** | | | **53,780** |

## OMAGH Local Government District:
**No change proposed to the existing groupings of wards**

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Omagh Town | 7 | Lisanelly<br>Camowen<br>Drumragh<br>Dergmoney | Coolnagard<br>Gortrush<br>Strule | 10,615 |
| West Tyrone | 7 | Trillick<br>Dromore<br>Drumquin<br>Fairy Water | Clanabogan<br>Fintona<br>Newtownsaville | 10,100 |
| Mid Tyrone | 7 | Sixmilecross<br>Beragh<br>Drumnakilly<br>Termon | Owenkillew<br>Gortin<br>Killyclogher | 9,896 |
| **District Totals** | **21** | | | **30,611** |



## STRABANE Local Government District

| Name of Electoral Area | Number of Wards | Grouping of Wards | | Total Number of Electors |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mourne | 5 | North<br>West<br>East | South<br>Ballycolman | 8,123 |
| Glenelly | 5 | Plumbridge<br>Victoria Bridge<br>Dunnamanagh | Slievekirk<br>Artigarvan | 7,560 |
| Derg | 6 | Glenderg<br>Castlederg<br>Clare | Newtownstewart<br>Finn<br>Sion Mills | 9,551 |
| **District Totals** | **16** | | | **25,234** |

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# PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

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# APPENDIX III

## OPTIONS FOR DISTRICT ELECTORAL AREA STRUCTURES

| LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT | EXISTING DEA WARD GROUPINGS (DECEMBER 1984) | | | PROVISIONALLY RECOMMENDED DEA WARD GROUPINGS (AUGUST 1992) | | | OPTIONS FOR DEA WARD GROUPINGS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | NO. OF WARDS | NO. OF DEA'S | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA | NO. OF WARDS | NO. OF DEA'S | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA | NO. OF SEATS IN EACH DEA |
| LARNE<br>LIMAVADY<br>MOYLE | 15 | 3 | 5, 5, 5 | 15 | 3 | 5, 5, 5 | 5, 5, 5 | | | |
| BALLYMONEY<br>COOKSTOWN | } 16 | 3 | } 5, 5, 6 | 16 | 3 | 5, 5, 6 | 5, 5, 6 | | | |
| MAGHERAFELT<br>STRABANE | } 15 | 3 | } 5, 5, 5 | | | | | | | |
| BANBRIDGE<br>CARRICKFERGUS | 15 | 3 | 5, 5, 5 | 17 | 3 | 5, 6, 6<br>5, 5, 7 | 5, 5, 7 | 5, 6, 6 | | |
| ANTRIM | 19 | 3 | 5, 7, 7 | 19 | 3 | 5, 7, 7 | 5, 7, 7 | 6, 6, 7 | | |
| OMAGH | 21 | 3 | 7, 7, 7 | 21 | 3 | 7, 7, 7 | 7, 7, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 6 | | |
| ARMAGH<br>DUNGANNON<br>COLERAINE | } 22<br>21 | } 4<br>3 | 5, 5, 6, 6<br>7, 7, 7 | 22 | 4 | 5, 5, 6, 6 | 5, 5, 6, 6 | 5, 5, 5, 7 | | |
| ARDS | 20 | 3 | 6, 7, 7 | | | 5, 6, 6, 6 | | | | |
| CASTLEREAGH | 21 | | 7, 7, 7 | 23 | 4 | } 5, 5, 6, 7 | 5, 5, 6, 7 | 5, 6, 6, 6 | | |
| DOWN<br>FERMANAGH | } 23 | } 4 | 5, 5, 6, 7 | | | | | | | |
| BALLYMENA | 23 | 4 | 5, 5, 6, 7 | 24 | 4 | 5, 6, 6, 7 | 5, 6, 6, 7 | 6, 6, 6, 6 | 5, 5, 7, 7 | |
| NEWTOWNABBEY<br>NORTH DOWN | 25<br>24 | 5<br>4 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 5<br>5, 6, 6, 7 | 25 | 4 | 5, 6, 7, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 5 | 5, 6, 7, 7 | 6, 6, 6, 7 | |
| CRAIGAVON | 26 | 4 | 5, 7, 7, 7 | 26 | 4 | 5, 7, 7, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 6 | 5, 7, 7, 7 | 6, 6, 7, 7 | |
| DERRY<br>LISBURN<br>NEWRY & MOURNE | 30<br>28<br>30 | 5<br>4<br>5 | 5, 6, 6, 6, 7<br>7, 7, 7, 7<br>5, 5, 6, 7, 7 | 30 | 5 | 5, 5, 6, 7, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5 | 5, 5, 6, 7, 7 | 5, 6, 6, 6, 7 | 6, 6, 6, 6, 6 |
| BELFAST | 51 | 9 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6<br>6, 7 | 51 | 9 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6,<br>6, 6, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5,<br>5, 5, 5, 6<br><br>5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6,<br>6, 6, 6 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6,<br>6, 6, 7<br><br>5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 6,<br>6, 7, 7 | 5, 5, 5, 5, 5. 5<br>7, 7, 7<br><br>5, 5, 6, 7, 7, 7<br>7, 7 | 5, 6, 6, 6, 7<br>7, 7, 7<br><br>6, 6, 6, 6, 6,<br>7, 7, 7 |

# APPENDIX IV

## PROGRAMME

| | |
|---|---|
| JULY 1992 | Appointment of Commissioner |
| AUGUST 1992 | Provisional recommendations published |
| SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 1992 | Consideration of representations and objections received |
| OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1992 | Public hearings |
| DECEMBER 1992-JANUARY 1993 | Consideration of all written and oral representations |
| JANUARY 1993 | Final recommendations and report submitted to Secretary of State |



# APPENDIX V

## THE DISTRICT ELECTORAL AREAS COMMISSIONER (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1984

**COPY EXTRACT**

**SCHEDULE 1**

**APPOINTMENT ETC. OF A COMMISSIONER AND STAFF TO ASSIST HIM**

1. A Commissioner shall be appointed on such terms and conditions as the Secretary of State with the approval of the Treasury shall determine before his appointment.

2. The Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages for Northern Ireland and the Chief Electoral Officer for Northern Ireland shall be Assessors to a Commissioner.

3. (1) The Secretary of State may, at the request of a Commissioner, appoint one or more Assistant Commissioners to inquire into, and report to the Commissioner on, such matters as the Commissioner thinks fit.

   (2) Any such Assistant Commissioner shall be appointed for the purpose of a particular inquiry or inquiries and on such terms and conditions as may be determined before his appointment by the Secretary of State with the approval of the Treasury.

4. The Secretary of State shall appoint a secretary and such other officers to assist a Commissioner as he may determine with the approval of the Treasury and the terms and conditions of any such appointment shall be such as may be so determined.

5. The terms and conditions on which a Commissioner, any Assistant Commissioner, a Commissioner's secretary and any other staff shall hold office shall include provision as to their remuneration and the termination of their appointments.

## SCHEDULE 2

## PROCEDURE

1. Where the Commissioner has provisionally determined to make recommendations as to the grouping of wards in any district (including, where appropriate, a provisional determination to recommend that no change should be made to the existing groupings of wards in a district), he shall publish in at least two newspapers circulating in the district a notice-

   (a) setting out the provisional recommendations and (except where the provisional recommendations do not involve changes to the existing grouping of wards) specifying places and times at which copies of the provisional recommendations may be inspected, and

   (b) stating that representations in writing with respect to the provisional recommendations may be made to the Commissioner within one month after the publication of the notice.

2. (1) Where, on publication of a notice under paragraph 1 above, the Commissioner receives any representations duly made in accordance with that notice objecting to the recommendations he has provisionally determined to make, the Commissioner may cause to be held in the district a public inquiry as to the grouping of the wards of the district into electoral areas and shall do so if those representations are made by-

   (a) the council of the district, or

   (b) not less than one hundred local government electors registered in respect of a qualifying address in the district.

   (2) The Commissioner shall give such public notice of the time and place of any inquiry he causes to be held under sub-paragraph (1) as he considers appropriate.

3. The Commissioner may direct any inquiry under paragraph 2 above to be held before an Assistant Commissioner.

4. The Commissioner shall consider any representations duly made in accordance with the notice published under paragraph 1 above or at any inquiry held under paragraph 2 above before submitting the report setting out his recommendations to the Secretary of State.

5. Subject to the foregoing provisions of this Schedule, the Commissioner shall have power to regulate his own procedure.

6. Every document purporting to be an instrument made or issued by the Commissioner and to be signed by the secretary or any person authorised by the Commissioner to act in that behalf shall be received in evidence and shall, until the contrary is proved, be deemed to be an instrument made or issued by the Commissioner.

7. In this Schedule, references to a district are to be construed as references to the district as constituted by such order under section 50(6) of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972 as is referred to in Article 2(1) or, as the case may be, Article 3(1) of this Order.



## SCHEDULE 3

## RULES IN ACCORDANCE WITH WHICH RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER ARE TO BE MADE

1. No ward shall be included partly in one electoral area and partly in another.

2. Each electoral area shall consist of not less than five, and not more than seven, wards.

3. Each ward in an electoral area shall have at least one boundary in common with another ward in that area, except where the ward consists of an island.

4. A name shall be given to each electoral area.

# APPENDIX VI

## PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

## LIST OF DISPLAY VENUES

## 20 AUGUST - 21 SEPTEMBER 1992

**DERRY**
(1) Council Offices
Guildhall
(2) Central Library
35 Foyle Street
(3) Waterside Library
Spencer Road
(4) Creggan Library
Central Drive
Creggan

**LIMAVADY**
(1) Council Offices
7 Connell Street
Limavady

**COLERAINE**
(1) Council Offices
Cloonavin
Portstewart Road
Coleraine
(2) Coleraine Library
Queen Street
Coleraine
(3) Portrush Library
Dunluce Street
Portrush

**BALLYMONEY**
(1) Council Offices
Riada House
Charles Street
Ballymoney

**MOYLE**
(1) Council Offices
Sheskburn House
7 Mary Street
Ballycastle

**LARNE**
(1) Council Offices
Victoria Road
Larne

**BALLYMENA**
(1) Council Offices
'Ardeevin'
80 Galgorm Road
Ballymena
(2) Ballymena Library
25-31 Demesne Avenue
Ballymena

**MAGHERAFELT**
(1) Council Offices
43 Queens Avenue
Magherafelt
(2) Maghera Library
1 Main Street
Maghera
(3) Draperstown Library
High Street
Draperstown



**COOKSTOWN**
(1) Council Offices
Burn Road
Cookstown

**STRABANE**
(1) Council Offices
347 Derry Road
Strabane
(2) Strabane Library
Butcher Street
Strabane
(3) Newtownstewart Library
Main Street
Newtownstewart
(4) Castlederg Library
Main Street
Castlederg

**OMAGH**
(1) Council Offices
The Grange
Mountjoy Road
Omagh

**FERMANAGH**
(1) Council Offices
Townhall
Enniskillen

**DUNGANNON**
(1) Council Offices
Circular Road
Dungannon

**CRAIGAVON**
(1) Council Offices
Craigavon Civic Centre
Lakeview Road
Craigavon
(2) Brownlow Library
Brownlow Road
Legahory
Craigavon
(3) Portadown Library
Edward Street
Portadown
(4) Lurgan Library
Carnegie Street
Lurgan

**ARMAGH**
(1) Council Offices
The Palace Demesne
Armagh

**NEWRY AND MOURNE**
(1) Council Offices
Monaghan Row
Newry
(2) Newry Library
79 Hill Street
Newry
(3) Warrenpoint Library
Summer Hill
Warrenpoint
(4) Kilkeel Library
28 Greencastle Street
Kilkeel
(5) Crossmaglen Library
The Square
Crossmaglen

**BANBRIDGE**
(1) Council Offices
Downshire Road
Banbridge
(2) Dromore Library
Town Hall
The Square
Dromore

**DOWN**
(1) Council Offices
24 Strangford Road
Downpatrick

**LISBURN**
(1) Council Offices
The Square
Hillsborough
(2) Lisburn Library
29 Railway Street
Lisburn
(3) Poleglass Library
Youth and Library Centre
Good Shepherd Road
Polegalss
Dunmurry

**ANTRIM**

(1) Council Offices
The Steeple
Steeple Hill
Antrim

(2) Antrim Library
41 Church Street
Antrim

(3) Randalstown Library
34 New Street
Randalstown

**NEWTOWNABBEY**

(1) Council Offices
1 The Square
Ballyclare

(2) Monkstown Library
Bridge Road
Monkstown

(3) Glengormley Library
40 Carnmoney Road
Glengormley

(4) Rathcoole Library
2 Rosslea Way
Rathcoole

**CARRICKFERGUS**

(1) Council Offices
Town Hall
Carrickfergus

(2) Carrickfergus Library
2 Joymount Court
Carrickfergus

(3) Greenisland Library
17 Glassillan Grove
Greenisland

(4) Whitehead Library
17b Edward Road
Whitehead

**NORTH DOWN**

(1) Council Offices
Town Hall
The Castle
Bangor

(2) Bangor Library
Hamilton Road
Bangor

(3) Holywood Library
Queen's Hall
Sullivan Place
Holywood

**ARDS**

(1) Council Offices
2 Church Street
Newtownards

(2) Comber Library
Newtownards Road
Comber

(3) Portaferry Library
47 High Street
Portaferry

(4) Donaghadee Library
5 Killaughey Road
Donaghadee

**CASTLEREAGH**

(1) Council Offices
368 Cregagh Road
Belfast

(2) Tullycarnet Library
Kinros Avenue
Dundonald

(3) Mount Oriel Library
Saintfield Road
Castlereagh

(4) Carryduff Library
Church Road
Carryduff

**BELFAST**

(1) Belfast City Council
City Hall
Belfast

(2) Central Lending Library
Royal Avenue

(3) Andersonstown Library
Slievegallion Drive

(4) Ardoyne Library
446-450 Crumlin Road

(5) Ballymacarrett Library
Templemore Avenue

(6) Shankill Road Library
298-300 Shankill Road

(7) Ormeau Library
Ormeau Road Embankment

(8) Skegoneill Library
Skegoneill Avenue

(9) Frances House
9-11 Brunswick Street

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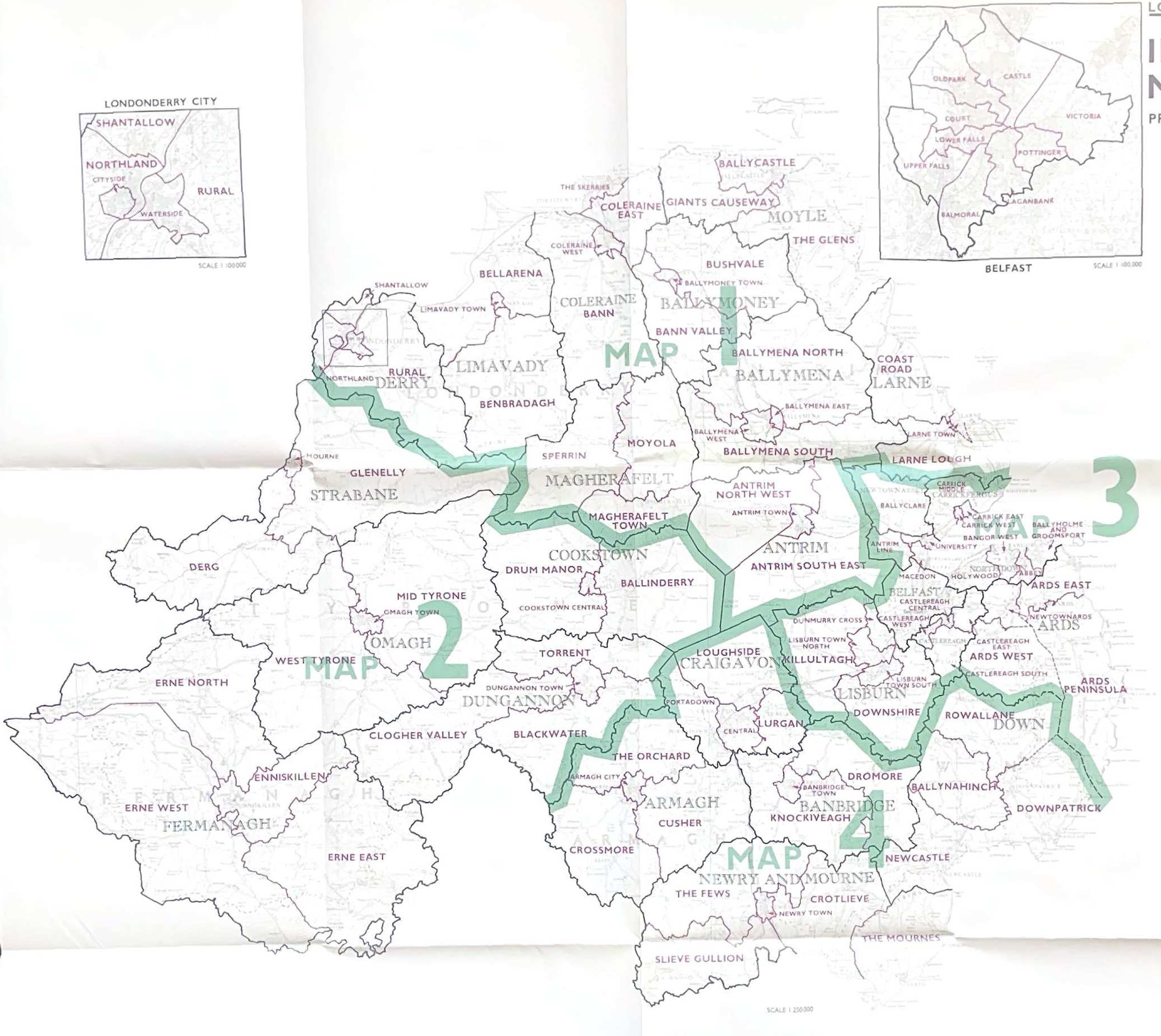


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BALLYMENA EAST
BALLYMENA WEST
BALLYMENA NORTH
BALLYMENA SOUTH

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BALLYMONEY TOWN
BUSHVALE
BANN VALLEY

**COLERAINE**
COLERAINE WEST
COLERAINE EAST
BANN
THE SKERRIES

**DERRY**
CITYSIDE
NORTHLAND
SHANTALLOW
WATERSIDE
RURAL

**LARNE**
LARNE TOWN
COAST ROAD
LARNE LOUGH

**LIMAVADY**
LIMAVADY TOWN
BENBRADAGH
BELLARENA

**MAGHERAFELT**
MAGHERAFELT TOWN
SPERRIN
MOYOLA

**MOYLE**
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THE GLENS
GIANTS CAUSEWAY

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**COOKSTOWN**
COOKSTOWN CENTRAL
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DUNGANNON TOWN
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BLACKWATER
TORRENT

**FERMANAGH**
ENNISKILLEN
ERNE EAST
ERNE WEST
ERNE NORTH

**OMAGH**
OMAGH TOWN
WEST TYRONE
MID TYRONE

**STRABANE**
MOURNE
GLENELLY
DERG

### MAP 3 - GREATER BELFAST ARE

**ARDS**
NEWTOWNARDS
ARDS WEST
ARDS EAST
ARDS PENINSULA

**BELFAST**
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LAGANBANK
BALMORAL
UPPER FALLS
LOWER FALLS
COURT
OLDPARK
CASTLE

**CARRICKFERGUS**
CARRICK WEST
CARRICK EAST
CARRICK MIDDLE

**CASTLEREAGH**
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CASTLEREAGH CENTRAL
CASTLEREAGH SOUTH
CASTLEREAGH WEST

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ABBEY
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HOLYWOOD

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**ARMAGH**
ARMAGH CITY
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THE ORCHARD
CUSHER

**BANBRIDGE**
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PORTADOWN
CENTRAL
LURGAN
LOUGHSIDE

**DOWN**
DOWNPATRICK
NEWCASTLE
BALLYNAHINCH
ROWALLANE

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CROTLIEVE
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SLIEVE GULLION

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